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BLOODSHED FOLLOWED

Attempted Arrest of a Woman Doctor Ends Disastrous.

TWO MEN ARE DEAD

Two Persons Are Dangerously Wounded and One Seriously—A Mob Makes an Effort to Lynch the Woman in Jail.

Gilman, Ills., Aug. 27.—Two men are dead, three wounded, two of them perhaps fatally, one woman wounded and her residence burned, are the results of Sunday night's battle between officers and Mrs. Dr. C. W. Wright, accused of the murder of Dessie Salter, the 16-year-old daughter of a citizen of Gilman.

The dead are:
John Myers, a laborer, employed by Mrs. Dr. Wright.

Michael Ryan, citizen, serving as a deputy constable.

The wounded are:
Lawrence Ryan and George Willoughby, both of the citizens' posse.

Mrs. Dr. C. W. Wright, shot through the right shoulder, the bullet taking a downward course.

Peter Laure, a member of the citizens' attacking party, was seriously wounded.

Early Sunday evening the first act of the tragedy was enacted when Constable Nilstead went to the house occupied by Mrs. Wright to serve on the occupant's jury had declared he guilty of murder. A number of deputies were with Constable Nilstead. Mrs. Wright barred the door, and in forcing an entrance the officers encountered unexpected opposition. They broke the outer door open and entered darkened rooms. Michael Ryan felt his way across the first room and was about to enter the door of an inner apartment when a shot rang out and he fell dead.

The posse make a hurried exit and formed a picket line around the building. At regular intervals they fired into the building in the hope the occupants would surrender, but without any success. Finally, they determined to set fire to the building, but a recent rain had so dampened the timbers that fire would not catch and after burning some outbuildings the posse gave up the attempt.

About 3 o'clock this morning by combustibles saturated with petroleum, the house was set afire.

George Willoughby and Peter Laure were wounded by shots fired from the upper windows. Soon after a volley was fired into the attacking party from bushes in the rear of the house. The fire was returned and a charge made.

John Myers was found lying dead and Mrs. Wright wounded and unconscious. It had been reported that there were three women in the house besides Mrs. Wright, but no sign of them have been found. The house was destroyed with its contents.

Madame Wright was brought to the city hall and a strong guard placed over her. A crowd soon assembled at the city hall and threats of lynching uttered. Every effort was made to disperse the mob, but a demonstration smashed in the windows with stones and clubs. This culminated in a shot being fired through a widow by one of the mob, barely missing the woman. Officers finally restored order, but it seemed probable there will be further trouble.

Mrs. Dr. Wright is about 50 years old. It is stated she was formerly an actress. For some time she has been conducting a lying-in hospital on the outskirts of Gilman. The death of Dessie Salter took place in the house last Friday.

Miss Salter's body was taken to her home under cover of darkness early Saturday morning. No coffin was procured and she was wrapped in an old blanket and piece of carpet was buried. After the jury had heard the evidence of Clarence Salter, father of the girl, the coroner came to the conclusion it was injurious to wait longer for Mrs. Wright's arrest, and a warrant was sworn out by the police magistrate for her arrest.

Stole Red Hot Gold.
Helena, Aug. 27.—Thieves stole \$5000 worth of gold in a retort from the assay office at the Jay Gould cyanide plant. The gold belonged to R. A. Horsch and represented a two weeks' clean-up of this cyanide mill. The amalgam was red hot when taken from the office, having just come out of the furnace.

Parade of Veterans.
Chicago, Aug. 27.—The Grand Army encampment opened today with a parade of naval veterans of the civil and Spanish wars and ex-prisoners of war. These with attending organizations numbered 5000 men.

Accident at a Sawmill.
Harrisburg, Ills., Aug. 27.—While working at W. H. Snellbaker & Co.'s sawmill Ernest Noble was struck by a flying piece of timber which penetrated his abdomen just below the ribs. He

can not live.

Troops Withdrawn From Akron.
Akron, O., Aug. 27.—As the result of continued peaceful conditions here at tending the race riots last week, all the state troops which have been on duty here since Thursday have been withdrawn.

The Heat in Pittsburgh.
Pittsburg, Aug. 27.—There were 1 deaths and 15 prostrations from heat here Sunday. The maximum was 93.

ATTACK ON NEGROES.

All Sunday Squads in New York City Beat the Blacks Up.

New York, Aug. 27.—A number of incipient race riots broke out here Sunday, the direct cause being the shooting on Saturday night of John Brennan, a white messenger boy, by John Davis, alias "Lamp Lighter," a negro. Brennan was one of a crowd of whites who taunted Davis, and bullets from the black's revolver lodged in his stomach and chest. He is in the hospital and likely to die. The shooting was done on Sixty-second street and becoming noised about, the rough white element began to search out negroes.

Before daybreak Sunday morning James Arnold, a negro, while passing Sixty-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue, was attacked by a crowd of whites and badly beaten. He was treated at a hospital. Shortly afterwards about two blocks away, the gang dealt out a similar experience to Alexander Ballentine, a negro, who was passing quietly along. In neither case were arrests made.

Sunday morning a crowd of whites, led by Frank McPike, went to a 5-story tenement house on Sixteenth street occupied by negroes, with the avowed purpose of cleaning it out. They had about demolished all the windows and incidentally cracked a head or two when the police arrived. McPike and another man was arrested.

Joseph Doyle, aged 18, filled his hat with stones and took his stand at Fifty-ninth and Eleventh avenue. He succeeded in inflicting scalp wounds on two negroes before a policeman clubbed and arrested him.

Officer John J. Cleary placed under arrest for "being sassy" William Hopson, a negro. He undertook to take his prisoner to station through West Sixth street. That street between West End and Amsterdam avenues is called "Cuckoo Row" and here negroes live by the hundreds. The fact that one of their race was in the hands of a policeman was all that several of them wanted, and half a dozen of them thought they would release Hopson. Cleary used his club and then drew his revolver. By threatening to shoot the first man to move he held the mob at bay until other policemen came to his aid.

George Meyer, who Cleary said, started the attempted rescue, was arrested. He resisted all the way to the station and when he got there had several scalp wounds and it is thought the negro's skull was fractured.

The foregoing are only a few assaults which came to light by arrests. The fact is that all day long the police in the neighborhood mentioned were kept busy dispersing small mobs bent on mischief.

Shot His Nephews.

Texarkana, Tex., Aug. 27.—In Beech township, about eight miles from this place, as William Green was driving a herd of hogs from his cornfield he was approached by two young nephews, Emmett and Willie Green. As soon as Green spied the intruders he opened fire upon them, killing Emmett Green instantly and mortally wounding the other boy. It appears that the hogs belonged to the Green boys and they had recently had trouble with their uncle about the animals. The shootist was arrested and is now in jail to await examination.

Preacher's Wife Burned to Death.

Wabash, Ind., Aug. 27.—Intelligence has been received of a fatal accident to Mrs. Barnett, wife of Rev. J. H. Barnett, formerly pastor of the Lutheran church at Columbia City. Recently Rev. and Mrs. Barnett have been living on a ranch in South Dakota. While he was engaged at the barn the clothing of Mrs. Barnett was ignited by a gasoline stove and she was burned to death before her husband could reach her.

Fatally Slashed.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 27.—An unknown negro boy probably fatally slashed Angus Morrison, superintendent of the bridges of the Chicago and Great Western railway, as he was hurrying to catch a train. Morrison's throat was cut, supposedly with a razor. He can give no cause for the assault unless he accidentally brushed against the negro.

Grand Army Encampment.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Despite a heavy rain the grand patriotic and sacred song service at the Coliseum Sunday night was attended by a throng which taxed the capacity of the immense building to its utmost. It is estimated that fully 13,000 people were packed into the hall and thousands more were unable to gain admission.

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Courthouse Burned.

Kingfisher, O. T., Aug. 27.—The courthouse and several adjoining buildings were destroyed by fire here Sunday, causing a loss of \$50,000. All the courthouse records except those of the county treasurer and such of the county clerk's and district clerk's offices as were in a fire proof vault, were destroyed.

One Boy Shoots Another.

Van Alstyne, Tex., Aug. 27.—Joe Smith, 11 years of age, was shot through the neck with a target rifle here. The boy who shot him is 10 years of age. He says it was an accident.

Dr. Schmidt Dead.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Dr. E. Schmidt, for 30 years head of the consulting staff of the Alexian Brothers hospital, died here of Bright's disease.

Population of New Orleans.

Washington, Aug. 27.—The population of New Orleans is 287,104 against 242,039 in 1890 an increase of 18.63 per cent.

"Getting Money From Home"

Is a fine thing, as everyone will agree—the next best thing is keeping it at home. You may think your laundry bill is a small item when you send it away from home, but many small orders sent away make a big hole in the profits of a home enterprise.

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American Laundry.

The Press Publishing Association's scensus guessing contest for \$52,000.00 in premiums will probably not close before October 15th, as it will be November 15th before the official count can be announced, according to present estimates. Those who wish to guess have plenty of time yet.

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as one trial will convince you. Also have a fresh stock of
DOZIER'S FANCY CAKES AND CRACKERS. Penick &
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market has ceased to exist," re-
marked Benjamin Adams who has
been a cotton factor in the South
Carolina Port for over sixteen
years. "The cotton mills of South
Carolina, which have sprung up
all over the state, now consume the
product and spin it at home. It
is safe to say that the mills use
three-quarters of the state's out-
put of cotton, and South Carolina
raises 700,000 to 800,000 bales of
cotton a year."

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ACY, PURITY AND
QUALITY in all prescription
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Committee Meeting.

The reception committee for the
celebration is requested to meet
with Judge Board, the chairman,
at 5 o'clock at the office of Dore-
mus and Butler. The committee
is composed of: J W Johnson, M.
Parker, G. W. Smith, Wm. Koppe,
Dr. N. M. McDougald, J. F. Parks,
J. A. Myers, S. M. Derden, G. S.
Parker, J. B. Mike, J. E. Butler,
J. C. Kernole, S. B. Wilson, J. J.
Adams, A. G. Board, D. C. Zuber,
C. A. Adams, Jas. H. Webb, Dr.
Geo. R. Tabor, John M. Lawrence,
G. M. Brandon, A. D. McConico,
H. Rhode, J. N. Lawrence, Dr. W.
H. Oliver, Dr. R. H. Harrison, W.
R. Thomas, Tyler Haswell.

The Eagle is requested to urge
all to bring baskets and to include
in them plenty of egg corn bread
and good solid food of all kinds.

HOTEL ARRIVALS. EXCHANGE

R M Burns, Leavenworth; John
Cross, G Waldo, Houston; Geo. H
Hartwell, New Orleans; R I Mans-
field, Dallas; J L Buell, Detroit; F L
Rucker, H W Lyle, Waco; Hugh
Burns, Taylor; G W Dalton, Cle-
burne; E F Myers, New York; W A
McCracken, Dallas; S W Meredith,
Millican.

CENTRAL.

John T Hagan, Whittaker; M
Snow, Iola; W K Payne, Hollis; I W
Sparks, Giddings; A P Vanhan,
Dallas; W W Brown, Terre Haute,
A A Webster, Telephone Co.; M M
Prince, J C Gilley, Caldwell; Joe
Shaw, Columbus.

Eor Decoration Work.

We have a large stock of Plain
and Crepe tissue paper for decoration
purposes, all shades. Wilson-
Jenkins Drug Co. 23

Notice.

Mrs. A. P. Andessen will open
her Primarv and Kindergarten
school Monday, September 3, in
her former school room under
Masonic Hall and solicits a share
of public patronage. 29

Women Doctors in Russia.

Women physicians have estab-
lished themselves all over Russia and
have achieved a respected position.
Dr. Kallmeyer, in the German Med-
ical Weekly Journal, gives them
high praise. Some are employed by
the government, and since last year
are entitled to a pension. They oc-
cupy positions as county physicians,
school physicians, physicians for the
poor and the municipal ambulance
system, etc. Mrs. Dr. N. Schulz, in
the St. Petersburg institute for ex-
perimental medicine, is one of the
foremost experts in bacteriology, and
her lectures are well attended by
physicians of both sexes.

DECLARED NO WAR.

Russia, Germany and Japan Have
Not Taken Extreme Action.

NEWS FROM CHAFFEE

Word from Him Expected Hourly as
to the Situation—Attack on
Allies at Pekin by the Chi-
nese Is Expected.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Russia, Ger-
many and Japan have not declared war
upon China, either separately or in con-
cert. This statement is made upon au-
thority of the highest character.

What these nations may do is a ques-
tion which no one in Washington is
prepared to answer.

A dispatch from Che Foo conveying a
rumor current there that Russia, Ger-
many and Japan had joined in a decla-
ration of war upon China is not seriously
taken in either official or diplomatic cir-
cles.

From no official source has the war
department learned of the departure of
40 Americans from Pekin for Tien Tsin,
as reported in a special dispatch to a
London newspaper.

Advices from General Chaffee are ex-
pected hourly, as the military telegraph
line between Tien Tsin and Pekin, which
has been interrupted, presumably is
being or has been repaired. Imperative
instructions were sent Saturday to the
commander of the United States forces
at Tien Tsin to have the line restored at
once under the protection of a cavalry
detachment.

A suspicion exists here that the delay
in messages both from and to Washing-
ton is rather between Chee Foo and
Shanghai than between Tien Tsin and
Pekin. From Chee Foo to Shanghai the
telegraph line is in control of the Chi-
nese authorities and it is suspected they
are not so prompt in the transmission of
messages as they might be.

A dispatch received at the Japanese
legation from the foreign office of Japan
conveys the latest and most authentic
information of the situation in and
around Pekin. In a measure the ad-
vices were of a disquieting nature, as
they indicated that the Chinese had
rallied their forces and were preparing
for an attack upon the allied forces in
Pekin. If it should prove that the al-
lied forces were besieged in Pekin, it
would account for the lack of advices
from General Chaffee.

While the news of a possible rear at-
tack upon the comparatively small force
of allies was not received with surprise,
it was generally not regarded as serious
as the foreign forces are believed to be
abundantly able to take care of them-
selves against any force of Chinese likely
to be sent against them.

LANDING MARINES.

The Japs Take Advantage of the De-
struction of Their Temple.

New York, Aug. 27.—A dispatch to
the Journal from Amoy, China, says
the Japanese have been landing marines
for three days, not only without provo-
cation, but against the protest of the
consuls. The accidental destruction of
the Japanese temple by fire is the al-
leged excuse for the act, but Amoy of-
ficials have proved their ability to pre-
serve perfect order. Excitement is in-
tense and thousands of civilians are
leaving the city.

Officials with scores of merchants vis-
ited the American consulate pleading
with the consul to intercede for the
withdrawal of the marines, otherwise
they declare it will be impossible to pre-
serve order. The landing of marines by
the Japanese breaks an agreement of
the powers with the viceroys.

The Report Exploded.

London, Aug. 27.—There is absolutely
no truth in the dispatches from Chee
Foo of Aug. 24 saying it was rumored
that "on good authority" that Russia,
Germany and Japan had declared war on
China and "invited Great Britain and
the United States to retire from that
country." Inquiries made at St. Peters-
burg, Berlin and Tokio show the report
is rejected at those capitals as "un-
worthy of notice."

Will Take Away Women.

Rome, Aug. 27.—A dispatch received
here from Taku, under date of Satur-
day, confirms the previous report that a
convoy is being formed at Pekin to con-
duct the women and children to Tien
Tsin.

Blown Open With Dynamite.

Fort Smith, Ark., Aug. 27.—The sup-
ply store of the Kansas and Texas Coal
company at Huntington was broken
into Saturday night and the safe blown
open with dynamite. The money loss
was small, but the safe was destroyed
and considerable damage done by the
explosion. A wind and rain storm was
raging and the explosion did not attract
attention.

Killed by a Live Wire.

Fort Smith, Ark., Aug. 27.—Brooks
McManus, a newspaper carrier, aged 18,
was killed here by a live wire. He was
on horseback and both the boy and horse
were killed instantly. It was a Western
Union wire in contact with a lightning
wire.

No Lack of Army Recruits.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Enlistments
in the army have been phenomenal since
the trouble in China. The navy is
seeking recruits.

LAI'D UPON POLICE.

A Preacher Says They Beat up the Ne-
groes at New York.

New York, Aug. 27.—Rev. William
D. Brooks, colored, pastor of the St.
Marks Methodist Episcopal church,
preached a sermon before a large con-
gregation Sunday night on "The Story
of the New York Riot." During the
sermon the feelings of the congregation
were at fever heat, and despite the pas-
tor's frequent admonitions to be calm,
his hearers twice interrupted the sermon
with vigorous applause. He said:

"I have been visiting the riot victims
and making an investigation. I have a
book of facts. What I say here may
send me before the courts, possibly to
jail. In making the following charges
against the police, I invite investigation:
"Innocent men were cruelly assault-
ed."

"The clubbing in nearly every case
was done by the police."

"We have not found a single tough
character among the victims maltreated,
but honest, hard working persons."

"Respectable and helpless women
who appealed to the police for protec-
tion were cursed and threatened for
their petition."

"Men and women prisoners were
beaten by the police while getting in and
out of the patrol wagon and while on
the way to the police stations."

"Men were beaten in the station
houses."

"Men and women were taken from
their beds in a nude condition by the
police."

Explosion Prevented.

Albuquerque, N. M., Aug. 27.—A race
against the spreading of a fire occurred
on the Santa Pacific railroad. About five
miles south of this city Conductor Mc-
Clurken, of extra freight No. 148, com-
ing north, discovered a boxcar with
merchandise on fire. The two cars ahead
were oil tank cars, while the cars direct-
ly in the rear contained a big invoice of
explosive material. The conductor sig-
naled Engineer Carroll, and one of the
swiftest runs ever made on this road by
a freight train took place. When the
train reached the lower yards the box-
car was a seething mass of flames and
engineer gave the fire signal. The fire-
men arrived on the scene and succeeded
in quenching the flames, not however,
until the car was burned to the trucks.
The firemen and trainmen succeeded
after great work, in preventing the oil
cars from catching fire.

Advices from Manila.

Manila, Aug. 27.—Official reports
show the past fortnight's scouting had
insignificant results.

Typhoid fever is delaying shipping.
Transport California, which sailed
from San Francisco July 17, via Hono-
lulu, July 27, for Manila is now a week
over due.

United States Philippine commission
in order to explain the new conditions
of their power and their attitude to-
wards Filipinos, resulting from their as-
sumption of legislation, are publishing
a portion of President McKinley's in-
structions to them.

Killed Instead of His Friend.

Texarkana, Ark., Aug. 27.—Dispatch-
es from Mena, Ark., tell of the assassina-
tion of Elmore Jordan at that place.
Jordan was with a friend and as the two
were nearing a house a bullet from
within, aimed at his companion, struck
Jordan between the eyes, killing him
instantly. The shooting was done by a
woman. Jordan was an engineer on
the Pittsburg and Gulf road running
from here to Mena.

To Build a Paper Mill.

Independence, Kan., Aug. 27.—A
tract of 40 acres on the east side of the
river has been purchased by J. F. and
C. J. Ellsworth, who will at once begin
the erection of a large paper mill. The
plant itself will cost \$35,000 and will
employ about 100 men. The product of
the plant will be wrapping paper and
several qualities of writing paper. Straw
will be used exclusively, which will en-
able the farmers to dispose of their
product to advantage. The Ellsworths
are experienced paper men and were at-
tracted here by the large supply of nat-
ural gas. The plant will be in opera-
tion by the first of the year.

Collecting Tribal Taxes.

Ardmore, I. T., Aug. 25.—The Indian
authorities are here for the purpose of
collecting the tribal taxes, and called on
several merchants, who refused to settle.
The matter was reported to the Indian
agent, and ejectment proceedings are
looked for.

Attempted Murder and Suicide.

New York, Aug. 27.—H. H. Stridiron,
a lumber merchant of Baltimore, was
probably shot fatally at the Hotel Ven-
dome by H. J. Ford, who registered
from Boston. Ford then committed
suicide by blowing out his brains. No
reason yet known.

Hogs Dying of Cholera.

Pana, Ills., Aug. 27.—J. G. Orr, a
wealthy stock raiser residing west of
here, has lost about \$2000 worth of fine
hogs with cholera. Fifty of the hogs
died within one hour, and he fears for
the balance as they were all exposed.

Fire at Trilla, Ills.

Mattoon, Ills., Aug. 27.—Fire at the
village of Trilla, nine miles south of
Mattoon, almost swept the business dis-
trict. The fire was of incendiary origin.

Will Run Into Harrison.

Little Rock, Aug. 27.—It is now a
settled fact that Harrison will get the
St. Louis and North Arkansas railroad,
known as the Eureka Springs extension.

Municipal League Meeting.

Philadelphia, Aug. 27.—The National
Municipal league will hold its annual
meeting at Milwaukee on Sept. 19, 20
and 21.

It will be cooler

Later on. During this hot weather when everybody is
hanging around close to the soda fountains and sighing for
an excursion to the polar regions, the subject of pushing
business smacks of unmitigated gall.

HALL'S DRUG STORE

is going to let the other fellow talk himself to death now
while the weather is hot, and we will come in on the home
stretch when cooler weather comes, fresh and full of
business snap and vim.

KEEP YOUR EYE PEELED....

for we are here with a fine new stock and prices that are
right for the fall trade.

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ALL KINDS OF ICED DRINKS.

The finest Candies, Fresh Fruits, Fine Cigars, Lowney's
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all hours day and night, with

Knobby Rigs of all Kinds,

and first-class single or double driving horses. Our motto will be Courteous, Prompt
and Careful Personal Attention to all calls. We will appreciate a liberal por-
tion of your patronage and guarantee satisfaction.

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ing and one next door to John
B. Mike's Store.**

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Bug Exterminator, Bath Brushes, Sponges, Toilet Soaps, Per-
fumery, Allen's Footcase, and numerous other seasonable articles
and preparations, all of which you will find at my store at prices
to please. Our remedies are unsurpassed. Try James' Enti-
Bilious Pills and James' Cholera Mixture. We make a specialty
of the best prescription work.

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THE LEADING DRUGGIST.

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Goods
Have
No
Place
In
Our
Stock.

Couldn't sell much if we wanted to, because our customers demand the best quality. And the supply is equal to the demand, both in quality and in quantity. Got what you want when you want it and as you want it. Prices are no more than you are willing to pay.

KERNOLE Brothers.

H. & T. C. Time Card, Bryan
Northbound No. 1.....12:30 p. m.
Southbound No. 2.....3:55 p. m.
Northbound No. 3.....1:55 a. m.
Southbound No. 4.....3:00 a. m.

LOCAL NEWS.

Fresh Jersey butter at M. P. Beard.
L. B. Reed was here from Hearne Sunday.
J. M. McCorquodale went to Waco yesterday.
Gus Stevener was here from Kurten yesterday.
John Tauber was here from College yesterday.
A. W. Shealey was here from Reliance yesterday.
Phil Clarke of Hempstead spent Sunday in Bryan.
Celebrated Sobrosa Cigars at the Exposition Saloon.
J. S. Francis was here from Cottonwood yesterday.
Ed S. Darden is out again after several days illness.
Squire J. M. Zimmerman was here from Kurten yesterday.
Mrs. R. O. Allen and baby have arrived from Tennessee.
Mr. J. W. Coulter is recovering after several days illness.
Drink Mt. Vernon pure rye for sale by the Exposition Saloon.
George Griffin is here from Fort Worth visiting his parents.
Sheriff Ike Sparks of Lee county was a visitor here yesterday.
Genuine Imported old Tom Cat Gin at the Exposition Saloon.
Mrs. John Zimmerman and little son went to Orange yesterday.
Metropolitan cigars are the best. Sold by the Exposition Saloon.
Mrs. N. W. Dansby and Jesse Peters went to Marlin yesterday.
House for rent, conveniently located. Apply to Mrs. C. M. Proctor.
Car of good ear corn on the track at 52 cents per bushel. E. C. Harder.
John Hicks returned to Rockdale yesterday after visiting Jack Taliaferro.
Signs of all kinds at prices to suit the times. Ted Birch, Central Hotel.

Messrs. J. W. Doremus and Cliff A. Adams visited Palestine Sunday.
Mrs. M. M. Miller left for Gainesville yesterday after visiting her father, Joe Ellis.
The best refrigerated meats of all kinds at the city market, S. W. Buchanan, proprietor.
WANTED—To trade Marble for gentle work horse, 8 or 10 years old. Apply at Marble yard.
Drummer's samples in all new shapes of felt hats at wholesale prices at Mrs. C. M. Proctor's.
Judge W. J. Moore of the College community called on the Eagle while in the city yesterday.
The track laying crew of the C. W. & B. V. expect to reach the city with the rails this afternoon.
Mrs. Ashford Hicks and daughter of Tyler left Sunday after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. D. C. DeMaret.
House for rent on Sept. 1, one block from Main street. Apply to Mrs. T. P. Wooten.
For sign work, painting and decorating call on Ted Birch at the Central Hotel. Satisfaction guaranteed.
Dr. H. T. Coulter returned to Rockdale yesterday after spending a couple of days in the city with his parents.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clarke have returned from Ashville, N. C. They were accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Porter.
Banners in black and white or colors gay, just the thing you want for celebration day. Ted Birch, Central Hotel.
The ladies of the Christian church will serve refreshments at the city park on the day of celebration and also at night.
D. D. McCorquodale and Ted Birch have established a partnership for carriage painting and general contract work.
All parties connected with the military feature of the Kernole park exhibition are requested to meet at the city park tonight at 8 o'clock.
A Palestine special says General Manager Leroy Trice of the I. & G. N. has invited the members of the Palestine business league and their wives to visit Bryan, Aug. 30 for the celebration. A special train will leave Palestine at 5 o'clock in the morning for the trip. The business men's league held a meeting last night and arranged for the trip.

Mrs. Jennie Clark of Luling is in the city in the interest of an orphan's home which she has established at Luling. She is stopping at the residence of Judge Ford, and will be there until Wednesday afternoon. Anybody desiring to contribute cash or clothing to the home, or anyone knowing of any orphans needing a home, is invited to see Mrs. Clark. Any clothing that may be contributed should be sent to Judge Ford's between now and Wednesday. Mrs. Clark comes highly recommended by State officers and others in the highest standing throughout the state.

A Navasota special says: The Calvert, Waco and Brazos Valley surveying corps, which has been operating between Bryan and Anderson for the past few months, rolled into town sixteen strong and loaded their apparatus on the Central train for Marlin, where they will make a survey from Marlin to Mount Calm, towards Fort Worth. It appears that section will be the worst grade plat of the line and a lot of new locomotives are to be ordered.

A special from Navasota says: Captain Hammond Norwood of the Shaw rifles, Second infantry, Texas volunteer guard, here, received a commission from Adjutant General Thomas Scurry to inspect the Third infantry band of Bryan, Texas, R. J. Newland, chief musician. Captain Hammond Norwood also received permission for the Shaw rifles of this city to attend the Bryan entertainment in a body on August 30, from the adjutant general.

Three suits aggregating \$21700 have been filed against the G. C. & S. F. Railway here for overflow damages. One of the suits was filed by McCorquodale and Clay of Burleson county, another by L. Steele of this county and the remaining one by A. G. and Steele Steele of this county.

The Eagle has received the following: Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sbisla invite you to be present at the marriage of their daughter, Rita Katharine to Mr. Eugene Wycliff Kerr, Wednesday morning, September 5, 1900, at 10:30. At home after September 17th College Station, Texas.

Allen Academy, with course of study extended and faculty increased offers superior advantages. Now is the time to enroll. We shall be glad to call or mail you catalogue. Address, J. H. and R. O. Allen, Principals, Bryan, Texas.

The Houston and Texas Central employees who have been at work on the coal mine near Lamb Springs, in Grimes county, for some time, have abandoned the mine, but no reason is given.

There are 1000 chances to get a prize for guessing at the census, in the Eagle's guessing contest, and fifteen thousand dollars is the highest prize. Other prizes are \$5000, \$2000, \$1000, \$500, \$200, \$100, etc.

John Cenroy is in charge of the section on the C. W. & B. V. railroad, and will probably be transferred to the Bryan section when the road is completed to this point.

The 3rd Regiment Band concert will take place in the court house yard Wednesday night, instead of the city park.

Misses Bertie and Stella Higgs returned from Calvert yesterday, accompanied by Misses Eva and Cora McMillan.

Mrs. T. P. Gentry returned yesterday from Cameron where she was called by the death of her brother.

Admission to the Battle of San Juan and Fireworks display in 50 and 25 cents.

Revs. Jewell Howard and James Ray returned from Cameron yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Cole have returned from Hillsboro.

Mrs. L. B. Brogdon of Houston is here visiting relatives.

K. of P's. Take Notice.
There will be a called meeting tonight at 8:30 for initiation work in second degree. All visiting brothers invited to attend.

D. F. Dansby, C. C. D. C. DeMaret, K. of R. S.

Legal Blanks.

The Eagle carries a full line of the following named legal blanks, and sells them in small quantities at the prices quoted. For larger quantities call at Eagle office for prices:

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Transfer of Vendor's Lien.....	5c
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BOERS ARE FIGHTING.

They Give the British a Hard Day's Battle Near Belfast.

London, Aug. 27.—A dispatch from General Roberts at Belfast says the enemy was engaged the greater part of the day at Perimetre, nearly 30 miles away. Littleton's division and two brigades of cavalry, all under Buller, operated southwest of Dalmantha. French with two brigades of cavalry moved northeast of Belfast driving the enemy to Lekenly, on the Belfast-Lydenburg road. As soon as French reached Lekenly, Pole-Carew advanced from Belfast in support. The enemy in considerable strength opposed Buller's and Pole-Carew's advances. He brought three Long Tom's and many other guns and pompons (quick firing guns) into action. The firing lasted until dark, hot and persistent. Buller hopes his casualties will not exceed 40. Pole-Carew not yet reported. The Boers are making a determined stand. They have a large number of guns. The country is difficult and well suited for their tactics and less favorable to cavalry than any we have hitherto worked over.

The most interesting point in General Roberts' dispatch from Belfast was the announcement of the capture of General Olivier and three of Olivier's sons in the attack which the Boers made from three sides on Winburg. General Olivier was the moving spirit among the Boers in the southeast portion of Orange Colony during the war.

FOR COTTON PRODUCERS.

Many Questions of Importance to Come Before the Convention at Raleigh.

Raleigh, Aug. 27.—The second annual convention of the Cotton States Association of Commissioners of Agriculture is in session here. The indications point to a full representation from all the cotton states. The session promises to be interesting and fruitful in results. There are many questions of importance to farmers that are to be discussed, many movements for the bettering of the cotton producer to be inaugurated and many ideas to be conveyed in a message from state officials to the tiller of the soil.

Probably the first in importance is the perfecting of plans outlined in New Orleans for the estimate of the cotton crop at all periods of the cotton season. Should the present plan of the association be executed, false estimates will in future be something impossible.

Rev. Pullman Dead.

Baltimore, Aug. 27.—Information has been received here of the death at Camp Royal Weakley, Thousand Islands, of the Rev. Royal H. Pullman of this city, brother of the late George M. Pullman and of the Rev. James M. Pullman of Chicago. Dr. Pullman was stricken with paralysis and it soon became evident that he could not recover. The end came Sunday morning. The body will be brought to Baltimore for burial.

Preparing for Government Work.

San Francisco, Aug. 27.—Application has been made by the Risdon Iron works for space on the water front, near the Risdon plant, for a great floating dock, which is intended to be the largest of its kind on the coast and one of the best in the world. It is being put in shape to turn out ships of the largest size and it promises to compete with the Union iron works in bidding for government work.

Ate Poisoned Food.

New York, Aug. 27.—Seven hundred persons attended the Harvest home festival at Griggstown, N. H., to celebrate the successful gathering of the year's crop. Two hours after the festival began 50 persons in attendance were stricken with serious illness from something they had eaten, and had to be conveyed to their homes. No one has died as yet, but many are reported to be seriously ill.

Gold from Alaska.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 27.—Steamship Ohio has arrived from Nome with 332 passengers and treasure estimated at \$2,000,000. About one-third of the gold came from Nome. The Klondike contributed the balance. The steamer South Portland also arrived with \$40,000 in gold from Nome and 113 steerage passengers.

Looting Freight Cars.

Florence, Ala., Aug. 27.—Marshal Boyles and four boys ranging from 12 to 18 years old was arrested here by the police for robbing the Louisville and Nashville railroad freight cars. The stolen goods were found in their possession and the boys all confessed implicating Boyles as the leader. They have systematically robbed the railroad and stores in East Florence.

Mrs. McKane Dead.

New York, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Martha McKane, mother of the late John Y. McKane, died from heart disease at her home at Sheepshead Bay Sunday night. She was an old resident of Sheepshead Bay. She owned much property there and was interested in many charitable institutions.

Man and Wife Killed.

Rockford, Ills., Aug. 27.—The residence of William Brader, three miles north of Holcomb, was struck by lightning and Mr. Brader and his wife killed in their bed. Their 2-year-old son who was sleeping with them escaped with slight injuries.

Heavy Damages by Lightning.

Waukegan, Ills., Aug. 27.—The continued heavy rain storms of the past few weeks, coupled with wind, hail and lightning, have done great damage to growing crops and property in Lake county. An estimate of \$100,000 damage has been made.

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as a candidate for county treasurer of Brazos county at the ensuing November election.

The Eagle is authorized to announce

A. W. BUCHANAN
as a candidate for re-election to the office of county treasurer of Brazos county at the ensuing November election.

The Eagle is authorized to announce

M. NAGLE
as a candidate for county attorney of Brazos county at the ensuing November election.

The Eagle is authorized to announce

W. GILLIE MITCHELL
as a candidate for justice of the peace of precinct No. 4, Brazos county at the ensuing November election.

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DENBY FOR M'KINLEY.

His Reason Is Because of "Bryan's Attitude Towards the Philippines."

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Hon. Charles Denby of Indiana, ex-United States minister to China, and a member of the first commission to the Philippines, and a life long Democrat, has written a letter urging the reelection of President McKinley. It is entitled "Bryan's Attitude Towards the Philippines," and is made public by the Republican national committee.

Mr. Denby takes issue with Mr. Bryan and defends the course of the United States and especially the action of President McKinley during the recess of congress. He lays upon Bryan's shoulders the charge of prolonging the Philippine war by his utterances and says Bryan's plea for ratification of the treaty made at Paris was not consistent with the views he is giving the people at this time.

He closes his letter this way:

"I am not defending the Republican party in this article but I am defending William McKinley. He has been subjected to more abuse than any president ever was and he has deserved it as little as any one ever did. In the most difficult period of our history he has proved himself equal to all the demands upon him. He has acted with an eye single to the good of the country. The war with Spain was not of the president's seeking but he met the issue with exalted courage. In diplomacy he displayed qualities of the highest order and in military affairs he was remarkably successful. He eminently deserves reelection."

Stevenson for Towne.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Unless the unexpected happens Adlai E. Stevenson will be substituted for Charles A. Towne as the vice presidential nominee of the Populist ticket. A poll of the national committee of that party has been taken and the Illinois man was seemingly assured a comfortable majority. The Populists who are advocating unity with the Democrats predict that the selection of Mr. Stevenson to be Mr. Bryan's running mate on both tickets will be unanimous, though Senator Marion Butler, chairman of the committee, and several others have declared themselves as unalterably opposed to such action.

QUITE A SENSATION.

Captain Marchant His Men Off the Drill Grounds Despite Higher Orders.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 27.—A sensation was created Sunday afternoon at Camp Lawton where the Third regiment Alabama national guards is encamped when Captain K. P. Marchant of company L, Phenix City rifles, marched his company off the field in disobedience to his superior officers and left camp with half of his command.

The incident occurred during regimental drill following dress parade. Captain Marchant was in command of the third battalion which failed to put in appearance on time when the next ranking officer was assigned to the command by Lieutenant Colonel Wiley, commanding the regiment.

Shortly after his company appeared on the field and was being put through a series of maneuvers, Captain Marchant appeared in shirt sleeves and ordered his company to leave the drill grounds and return to their quarters. Captain Anderson, who was in command of the battalion, ordered them not to leave the drill grounds, but in obedience of Capt. Marchant's orders, Lieutenant Coulter who was in charge of the company marched his men off the ground.

The insubordinate captain was immediately ordered under arrest with the freedom of his quarters.

Later in the evening Captain Marchant, disregarding the colonel's orders, left camp with 30 of his men and came to Birmingham. A detail of 90 men was sent to the city to arrest the deserters and a number of men were arrested and taken back to camp, but Captain Marchant was not among them as he could not be found.

Captain Marchant says that his action was based on the alleged fact that his men were being drilled to death in the hot sun after having traveled all night, but the regimental officers say it was due to the fact that Captain Anderson was put in command of the battalion.

The affair has created intense excitement in military circles.

Killed in a Fight.

Rockdale, Tex., Aug. 27.—In a difficulty between Charley Lane and Will Mason at Tracy, 10 miles north of Rockdale, Mason was killed. Lane surrendered to Sheriff Todd and was taken to Cameron.

Philadelphia Crew Won.

Paris, Aug. 27.—The 8-oared crew of the Vesper boat club of Philadelphia won the championship in the international regatta held under the auspices of the exposition.

Didn't Hear the Train.

Beeville, Tex., Aug. 27.—Madam Teresa, an aged Mexican, was killed at Pettus by a southbound freight train. She was walking down the track and being partly deaf did not hear the train.

Bridge Broke With Him.

Guthrie, O. T., Aug. 27.—Dr. Cyrus Ingram, aged 70, was killed near Perkins by the breaking down of a bridge over which he was passing. He fell 30 feet and had his skull crushed.

Alabama Ready for Trial.

Boston, Aug. 27.—The new battleship Alabama has arrived from New York all ready for trial. She ran all day Saturday at 15 knots. She only has to make 17 knots in her trial.

\$25,000 to be given away



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YOUR GUESS.

When you send in your subscription you make your guess. Be sure and write your name, address and guess as plainly as possible. As soon as we receive your subscription we will fill out and send you a certificate corresponding to guess made by you, which will entitle you to any prize you may draw. Be sure and keep your certificate. We will file the duplicate with The Press Publishing Association. Porto Rico, Hawaii, Guam and the Philippines not included in this census estimate.

VALUABLE INFORMATION.

To aid subscribers in forming their estimate, we furnish the following data:

YEAR	TOTAL POPULATION	INCREASE	PER CENT
1790	3,929,214	929,214	31
1800	5,308,483	1,379,269	35
1810	7,820,881	2,512,398	37
1820	9,638,453	2,317,572	32
1830	12,860,020	3,221,567	33
1840	17,069,453	4,209,433	33
1850	23,191,876	6,122,423	35
1860	31,443,321	8,251,455	35
1870	38,548,371	7,115,050	22
1880	50,155,783	11,597,412	30
1890	62,622,250	12,466,467	25

The population for 1900 at an increase of 21% over population of 1890 would be 75,772,922; an increase of 13,150,672.

At an increase of 22% it would be 76,399,144; an increase of 13,776,894.

At an increase of 24% it would be 77,651,588; an increase of 15,029,338.

At an increase of 25% it would be 78,227,812; an increase of 15,655,562.

In Case of a Tie,

or that two or more estimators are equally correct, prizes will be divided equally between them.

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To the 7th	100 00
To the 8th	50 00
To the 9th	25 00
To the 10th	15 00
To the 11th	10 00
To the 12th	5 00
To the 13th	4 00
To the 14th	3 00
To the 15th	2 00
To the 16th	1 00
To the 17th	50 00
To the 18th	25 00
To the 19th	15 00
To the 20th	10 00
To next 100 nearest correct guesses, \$5 each amounting to	500 00
To next 100 nearest correct guesses, \$1 each amounting to	100 00
To next 100 nearest correct guesses, \$2 each amounting to	200 00
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MY GUESS

San Antonio Fair and Exposition.

There is no longer any doubt but what the San Antonio fair this fall will be the greatest occasion in the history of that city.

The fair association began early their work of preparation. The grounds have been improved and beautified and new buildings erected. Expansion, everywhere visible, is fully up to requirements of the unprecedented demand for space and increased number of exhibits in every department.

The federal government of Mexico and the governors of the several Mexican states are now preparing exhibits in mine, mill, factory and other productions famous to that country, and of great interest to the business man and investment-seeker.

The cattle exhibit will be the crowning feature of the fair; stall room for over one thousand head of registered cattle has already been engaged; special attention has been given to the introduction of range cattle, and inducements offered to cattle men to compete for prizes. Exhibits from the famous ranches of Joe Todd, Robert Kleburg, John Kennedy, Edward Lassiter and others arranged for.

Every available space has been taken in Machinery, Implement and Exposition halls, and a lively

interest is manifested on the part of exhibitors of the horse, swine, sheep and poultry. Ample space has been allotted these departments and the promise is something great.

The fish exhibit in preparation by the agent of the United States fish commission and by firms and individuals located at points along the Texas coast, and the beautiful ice palace to be constructed by Harry Landa of New Braunfels will be very attractive features.

The large sum of \$12,000 in cash prizes, devoted to the racing department, will attract many famous horses and a good time is promised the many who desire to witness the triumphs of the horse.

Many of the best bands of Mexico and Texas will be in daily attendance, and the occasion enlivened by numerous outdoor concerts, band contests and parades.

San Antonio will spare no effort or expense to make this a joyous and profitable season for all who attend.

Very low round trip rates will be authorized by the I. & G. N. railroad and its connections so that everybody can attend.

For further particulars apply to the nearest railroad agent or to D. J. Price, G. P. and T. A., Palestine, Texas.

Sealed Proposal.

Sealed bids will be received up to Saturday, August 25, at 4 p. m., for the whole privilege of selling ice-cream, soda water, lemonade and all ice drinks, cigars and tobacco, peanuts, watermelons, fruits, nuts and confections, lunches and sugar cane, on the barbecue grounds on August 30. W. E. Saunders, Chm'n.

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